UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI GREENVILLE DIVISION

MICHAEL AMOS, PITRELL BRISTER, ANTONIO DAVIS, WILLIE FRIEND, CHARLES GAYLES, DANIEL GUTHRIE, JONATHAN J. HAM, DESMOND HARDY, BILLY JAMES, JR., JUSTIN JAMES, QUENTEN JOHNSON, CHALLIS LEWIS, DEAUNTE LEWIS, LARRY MAXWELL, TERRANCE MCKINNEY, DERRICK PAN, **BRANDON** ROBERTSON, **KURIAKI** RILEY, DERRICK ROGERS, **TYREE ALEXANDER** ROSS, H.D. SCOTT, **DEANGELO** TAYLOR, **LEMARTINE** TAYLOR, CONTI TILLIS, DEMARCUS TIMMONS, **CARLOS** VARNADO, PHILLIP DECARLOS WEBSTER, ADRIAN WILLARD, and CURTIS WILSON,

Plaintiffs,

V.

PELICIA E. HALL, in her official capacity as the Commissioner of the Mississippi Department of Corrections, and MARSHAL TURNER, in his official capacity as the Superintendent of the Mississippi State Penitentiary,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 4:20-CV-007-DMB-JMV

MOTION BY PLAINTIFFS TO WITHDRAW CERTAIN COUNSEL OF RECORD

NOW INTO COURT, through undersigned counsel, come Plaintiffs, MICHAEL AMOS, PITRELL BRISTER, ANTONIO DAVIS, WILLIE FRIEND, CHARLES GAYLES, DANIEL GUTHRIE, JONATHAN J. HAM, DESMOND HARDY, BILLY JAMES, JR., JUSTIN JAMES, QUENTEN JOHNSON, CHALLIS LEWIS, DEAUNTE LEWIS, LARRY MAXWELL, TERRANCE MCKINNEY, DERRICK PAN, BRANDON ROBERTSON, KURIAKI RILEY, DERRICK ROGERS, TYREE ROSS, H.D. ALEXANDER SCOTT, DEANGELO TAYLOR, LEMARTINE TAYLOR, CONTI TILLIS, DEMARCUS TIMMONS, CARLOS VARNADO, PHILLIP DECARLOS WEBSTER, ADRIAN WILLARD, and CURTIS WILSON (hereinafter "Plaintiffs"), and respectfully move this Court for an Order withdrawing Lawrence S. Blackmon of the Blackmon Law Firm, PLLC as counsel of record for Plaintiffs. This withdrawal will not prejudice any party or affect any pre-trial or trial deadlines.

Respectfully submitted this the 23rd day of January, 2020.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on January 23, 2020, a copy of the foregoing pleading was

filed electronically with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system. Notice of this filing will

be sent to all counsel of record registered to receive electronic service by operation of the

Court's electronic filing system.

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